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RE: NOTICE OF RESPONSE TO FOIA REQUEST

REQUEST RECEIPT DATE: October 25, 2019

FOIA FILE NO.: P535611

Dear Mr. Martinez:

The Chicago Police Department (CPD) is in receipt of your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 ILCS 140/1, et seq., request for the following:

"Any Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), Memorandum of Agreement (MOA), or Inter-Government Agreement (IGA) between Chicago Police Department and DHS Homeland Security Investigations (HSI). The title of the documents may be "MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT between U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOM ENFORCEMENT HOMELAND SECURITY INVESTIGATIONS and Chicago Police Department regarding THE DESIGNATION OF Chicago Police Department EMPLOYEES AS CUSTOMS OFFICERS" Documents should describe an agreement that designate CPD officers as "Task Force Officers", therefore I further request the names, rosters, number of TFOs and their positions within CPD. Documents about any renewal of any MOU, MOA and IGA between CPD and HSI.

Please search for records during the last seven years."

As permitted by 5 ILCS 140/3(e), the time was extended in order to conduct a thorough search for these records. Your request was reviewed by the undersigned. A search was conducted based on the parameters provided. You are receiving the requested responsive records. However, please be aware that certain information has been redacted pursuant to 5 ILCS 140/7(1)(b). The information that was redacted is signatures. The redacted information is exempt from disclosure under 5 ILCS 140/7(1)(b) of the Freedom of Information Act, which exempts "private information, unless disclosure is required by another provision of this Act, a State or federal law or court order." "Private information" is defined in section 2(c-5) as "unique identifiers, including a person's social security number, driver's license number, employee identification number, biometric identifiers, personal financial information, passwords or other access codes, medical records, home or personal telephone numbers, and personal email addresses. Private information also includes home address and personal license plates, except as otherwise provided by law or when compiled without possibility of attribution to any person." 5 ILCS 140/2(c-5) (West 2010). In addition, signatures are unique identifiers and, therefore, an exempt form of private information. See 2010 PAC 9838 (III. Att'y Gen. PAC Req. Rev. Ltr. 9838, issued December 10, 2010, at 2).

You have the right of review by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) at the Office of the Illinois Attorney General, 500 S.

2nd Street, Springfield, Illinois 62706, by telephone at (877)299-3642, fax at (217)782-1396, or email at publicaccess@atg.state.il.us. You also have the right to seek judicial review by filing a lawsuit in Cook County Circuit Court.

Sincerely,

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